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ALSACE-LORRAINE.

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one-half its population and multiplied three fold in wealth. She made one province of Alsace and Lorraine; it is now Alsace-Lorraine; but the people there are more intensely French than they then were; no effort on the part of united Germany can change them. France has not kept pace at all with Germany in the increase of people, but all accounts agree that her army is in perfect fighting condition, and the belief in that army is that had not the army of 1870 been hampered and its strength divided by the insistence of Napoleon III to command it, that war would have had a different ending and the humiliation which it suffered then should be wiped out. No finer fighting was ever done than by the French at Sedan in a vain attempt to break the meshes which an impotent commander had permitted the Prussians to draw around them.

And thousands of persons are asking if Germany, realizing the situation has not determined upon a final settlement and if she is not now seeking an excuse to precipitate a war with France. It certainly has that look. It had that look when she first interfered in the Morocco business four years ago. She had to recede from her position then by command of the conference which she had consented to permit to decide the case; but she has been waiting an opportunity ever since and if she can be assured of Great Britain's neutrality, the war will not long be delayed. That we take it, is her present difficulty. And Englishmen do not like Germany. They have held their grudge ever since the Boer war, and, moreover, they see that with France subdued, the next probability will be the absorption of Holland by Germany which would give Germany the command of the west coast of the North Sea, but a short sall from the east coast of England. Again, Germany is building a navy too fast to suit Great Britain. Some things that are taking place in Austria indicate that with the death of Francis Joseph the Germans there intend to do something, and the speech that one of them made week ago hostile in every line to Great Britain is a pointer.

The world understands that the German claim to a share of Morocco is but an excuse, but behind that what is the real intention?

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